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SUBJECT:FACILITATIVE SUPPORT TO SPORTS INTERNATIONAL
PROMOTIONS

1. SPORTS INTERNATIONAL PROMOTIONS MANAGER, GUS MAULTSBY HAS REQUESTED DEPARTMENT'S ASSISTANCE IN DIRECTING HIM TO APPROPRIATE ENTREPRENEURS OR AGENTS IN YOUR RESPECTIVE COUNTRIES THAT MIGHT UNDERTAKE FINANCIAL COMMITMENTS TO SPONSOR HARLEM GLOBETROTTERS. PREFERABLY, THE GOVERNMENT OR A NATIONAL AGENCY ACTS AS SPONSOR, BUT IF IMPOSSIBLE, APPROPRIATE ORGANIZATIONS OR INDIVIDUALS DO SO.

2. SPORTS INTERNATIONAL IS PRESENTLY INVOLVED IN PLANS FOR A BASKETBALL TOUR BY HARLEM GLOBETROTTERS OF THE MIDDLE EAST SCHEDULED FOR SPRING 1976. THROUGH JUNE AND UNCLASSIFIED

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EARLY PART OF JULY, THE GLOBETROTTERS WILL PERFORM IN

SAUDI ARABIA, KUWAIT, LIBYA, EGYPT, TUNISIA, AND ALGERIA.
SPORTS INTERNATIONAL WOULD LIKE VERY MUCH TO EXTEND TOUR
THROUGH AUGUST AND INCLUDE COUNTRIES OF WEST AFRICA.

3. REQUEST NAMES APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT OR PRIVATE
AGENCIES, ENTREPRENEURS, ORGANIZATIONS AND INDIVIDUALS
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